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Always on tap. Full stock in all lines.

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4 STORES, ONE PRICE

THE WHITE & MAY CO. LTD.

Dealing the White & May way is the safe way. One price and the goods marked in plain figures makes shopping easy. Now that the new Fall Goods are arriving you will find this store the center of interest. We invite you to compare our prices with any. We are willing to abide by the verdict. Call often and see the new Fall Goods fresh from the makers.

NEW DRESS GOODS

The first of the Fall Goods just to hand. We wish to draw your attention to a line of Pure Wool Serges in a range of colors. Splendid values at

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Also VELVETS, CORD VELVETS and SILKS

New Fall Millinery

Is expected in a few days. The styles and values will be right. See the New Hats when first opened

A BIG LOT OF REMNANTS OF EVERY KIND OF DRY GOODS AT CUT PRICES

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A big range of Samples from the Art Tailoring Co. and C. N. & R. just opened. Our ordered suits are right from tip to toe. Have a look at the samples and new Fashion Plates, it won't cost anything and will certainly prove interesting. This department only bears a small portion of expense—our prices are right.

THE PURE FOOD DEPARTMENT

Is turning out great quantities of dependable goods. People who try us become permanent customers. Buying in quantities keeps the prices down.

Try our flour at \$3.50 per cwt

It gives entire satisfaction

STORE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY (LABOR DAY)

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR BUTTER AND EGGS

THE

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MAPLE LEAF HOTEL

SHERMAN & TROY, Props.

European Plan. Rates 50c per day and up. Modern throughout.
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Strictly first class in every respect. Meals a la carte at all hours.

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Is a Good Time to List your land for sale with

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Try a Pair of our

HOME-MADE PLOWSHARES

For Your Fall Plowing
Once used always used

J. TAYLOR

KING EDWARD BLACKSMITH SHOP

LOCAL JOTTINGS

There's many a slip 'twixt the seedling and the harvesting

Three pedlars struck town on Wednesday, but left by the next train rather than pay the municipal license fee. These kind of people are not much missed

Mr. W. Ferguson, Bassano, was in town on Monday

Mr. A. McLean was down at Medicine Hat Fair this week and purchased eight registered purebred rams. Mr. McLean has now 1400 sheep on his farm nine miles north of Strathmore

Mr. McLean informed us that 10,000 sheep are at present on their way from Montana to the farm of the Western Horse and Ranch Co., near Cluny. The sheep industry is not a very large one in Alberta at the present time, though it is a highly profitable one

Mr. G. F. Butler, of the Strathmore Trading Co., has been laid up with tonsillitis since Monday

One point of similarity between Calgary and Strathmore. Councils of both places had to adjourn for want of a quorum this week

B.C. fruit lands are advertised in this issue by F. L. Harris

The cellar openings at the King Edward facing the lane are being covered over, as they were deemed unsafe before

Among the visitors registered at the King Edward this week are: L. V. Galcher, Eureka, Cal.; J. H. E. Gerhardt and Victor Dennis, Evansville, Ind.; Chas. J. Kearney, Rockwood, Pa.; E. H. Redman and C. A. Boyd, Terre Haute, Ind.; S. L. Hobbes, Elwood, Ind.; J. M. Chandler, Marion, Ky.; Dr. Wyman Boler, The Hague, Holland

Mr. Hector Kydd is at present engaged in erecting a handsome home on his farm, together with barns, driving shed, etc. One of the barns is already up. Mr. J. Collier, Strathmore, is in charge of the building and Mr. Kydd is the local about 9 miles south of Cheate

A little child shall lead them. Our local tailor was induced to try his luck at a pipe drawing in Martin & Evans store by a little boy, who perhaps scented some candy in the transaction, and as a result the knight of the scissors is now the proud possessor of a \$5.50 pipe.

The marriage took place at Newcastle, New Brunswick on August 19, of Mr. John H. Troy, brother of Mr. J. G. Troy, of the Maple Leaf, to Miss H. S. Caie.

News was received in town last week of the death by drowning of Mr. S. Duncan, brother-in-law of Mr. W. MacLeod, bookkeeper with Messrs. Hayden & Stone. The deceased was in Strathmore just a few weeks previous to the accident visiting Mr. and Mrs. MacLeod. He was a young man, and had done very well in the West. His parents reside in Prince Edward Island.

Mr. A. R. Morrison, of Okotoks, arrived here on his motor one day this week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. E. Wright. Mr. Wright accompanied him back to Calgary on the motor.

A number of ladies in town have expressed a wish to learn the bowling pastime. The opportunity is now given them. Mr. that the Hub alleys will be open from 3 to 5 on Tuesday afternoon free to the ladies.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Gillson on Thursday.

Do you own it? Want to sell it? Do you need it? Want to buy it? — W. A. McClintock, Auctioneer, Duff Block

Harvest Delayed by Showery Weather

FROST FRIDAY MORNING

The present week, so far as it has gone, has formed a decided contrast to last week, when the weather was ideal for harvesting purposes. On Saturday evening quite an amount of rain fell, but the weather cleared sufficiently on Sunday to allow cutting to be carried on Monday and Tuesday. On Tuesday evening, however, a shower of rain fell, and early on Thursday morning there was quite a considerable rainfall. The weather, naturally, with so much rain, has been rather cool, and grain has not advanced much.

On Thursday afternoon a shower of hail fell in Strathmore and to the south of town, but did not do any damage. At the same time the weather turned much colder, and early on Friday morning frost was registered, heavy enough to do damage to garden stuff and potatoes. The thermometer at the Strathmore Hardware Co. registered two degrees and at the Demonstration Farm there were between two and three degrees. A skin of ice formed on the shallow puddles on the streets.

It is difficult to know how much damage was done the grain crop, but there must have been some, especially on low-lying lands, as much of the grain was not fully ripened. The effect of the frost will not be known till threshing time.

Most of the barley and all wheat is now in stock, and a small proportion of spring wheat has been cut. About fifty per cent. of the spring wheat is stated to be ready for the binder, and it only awaits a day or two of sunshine to make harvesting general.

Some of the threshermen expect to start work about the middle of next week.

Grain cut so far has been of excellent quality, and the average wheat yield is expected to be around thirty bushels to the acre. Another week like last week would mature everything.

The showery weather conditions of the last five days have been general throughout the west, and in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Northern Alberta, the rain started in about Thursday.

About thirty harvest hands came into town on Saturday, and most of these secured employment the same day. In addition a number of local farmers are getting their harvest help through Calgary agencies. There is no pronounced shortage of binder twine, most of the farmers having ordered theirs some time ago, and at any rate there is stated to be enough being shipped out to the West by express to supply the needs. Naturally not so many binders were sold this year as last by local dealers, as most of the farmers are now stocked up with implements, but nevertheless quite a number were sold. Probably over seventy five have gone out this fall.

Sidewalks

Material for the construction of the cement sidewalks for the business section of the town is now arriving in better quantity and time than before, and the contractors, Messrs. Baxter Bros., have been quite a lot of work this week, mainly in the way of putting in retaining walls, etc.

Two carloads of cement and several carloads of gravel arrived this week. The delay previously was attributable to the slow shipment of gravel, and it is to be hoped that the remainder of the work will be shipped in better time.

As will be noted from our advertising columns, the Council are advertising for tenders for the construction of sidewalks for the town. The cost of these is estimated at something like \$20,000.

Specifications for this are being prepared by the John Galt Engineering Co. It is the intention to have the whole of the sidewalk work completed this fall, if the weather conditions permit.

As a result of Labor Day, the Stampede, and a Congress of Calgary and District Master Printers to be held in Calgary on Thursday and Friday of this week, it is probable that our publishing arrangements will be somewhat upset. If at all possible we will issue the Standard on Thursday morning next week.

Building Supplies

Make up a list of what you want and let us figure on it with you. If we cannot beat anyone in this section for price—quality being equal—we will GIVE you the goods for nothing. We have everything you need of the right quality—at the right price. Come in today

A FEW SPECIALS:

For Granaries: 1-ply Roofing, \$2.10 sq. yd.; 2-ply Roofing, \$3.50 sq. yd. Plain Building Paper 5c. Tarred Building Paper, \$1.10

W. E. BROWN

HARDWARE FURNITURE

The King Edward Hotel

STRATHMORE, ALTA.

:: THE COMMERCIAL HOUSE ::

Rates \$2.00 and \$2.50 per day

AMERICAN PLAN

The Rexall Store

OIL OF CITRONELLA The best Mosquito Chaser

FLY CATCHERS Spiral, sticky ones to hang up, 5c each; 3 for 25c

FLY POISON PADS Sure death to flies, 10c each; 3 for 25c

KODAK FILMS All sizes now in stock

ALARM CLOCKS Big shipment just arrived \$1.00 to \$3.50 each

WATCH BARGAIN Swiss movement, 15 jewel, nickel or gunmetal case, fully guaranteed, \$5.00 each.

A. W. MILLER

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"Get Your Canadian Home from the Canadian Pacific"

WESTERN CANADA'S DAY

This has been referred to as Canada's Century. In Western Canada we use no such general term. This is Western Canada's century, decade, year, month, week and day. With the passing of each twenty-four hour period, new business blocks and houses are under construction, new lines of railway have pushed on a little further, and each day is brighter than the one preceding.

There is no safer or surer investment to-day than farm lands or town lots in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. If you wish your dollars to work every Western Canadian Day call on or address

CANADIAN PACIFIC IRRIGATION COLONIZATION CO., LTD.
CALGARY, ALBERTA

Importance of Crop Rotation

The third annual report of the Canadian Commission of Conservation, of which we have just received a copy, contains some very interesting information, and the findings especially in regard to agriculture, should be of great interest to farmers in this district. The Commission, as its name implies, is mainly interested in the conservation of Canada's natural resources, the chief of which is the fertility of the soil. The Commission has been making extensive investigations into the methods of agriculture practiced in the Dominion, and has compiled a mass of figures which show conclusively that farming conducted on a systematic rotation basis benefits both the farmer and the country as a whole. The Commission is now opening up thirty "Illustration" farms throughout the Dominion, to exemplify good farming methods.

Dr. J. W. Robertson's report, part of which is appended, shows by percentages the farmers in the various provinces reporting an increase in their yields over ten years ago. Figures for Saskatchewan and Alberta are not given, but in these provinces ten years ago, but Manitoba furnishes an example of the effects of continuous wheat growing, and should be a warning to other Western provinces.

The following extracts from Dr. Robertson's report to the Commission—

CROP YIELDS

We are making progress. The Agricultural Survey of 1,225 farms in our nine provinces brought this out. Taking the hundred farms of Nova Scotia, 49 per cent of the farmers reported an increase in the yield of crops as compared with ten years ago. That is very good; they are not on the downslide in Nova Scotia. In Prince Edward Island, there was a decided decrease from the original production of wheat, about fifteen or eighteen years ago, but since then, since they began to adopt the systems of rotation, that these best 10 per cent of the farmers I have mentioned employed, there has been a decided increase of 51 per cent of the farmers report an increase as against ten years ago. In New Brunswick, 24 per cent report an increase in Quebec, 39 per cent; in Ontario 24 per cent.

In Manitoba, not one farmer. Consider that report from a virgin province with a wealth of 5,000 years of the Creator's deposits in the savings bank of soil that not one farmer on a hundred farms has reported any increase over ten years ago, and 40 per cent of them have reported a decided decrease. That gives us much food for thought. It brings out a grave situation for consideration. It is to me much more imminent of blessing, or disaster, than any other material question now before the West.

INCREASING THE YIELD IN ENGLAND

Let me give you from another source, another plate of food for thought. I will take one historical illustration from that old land, spoken of sometimes by the buoyant and blossoming Canada, as old, moss-covered sick-in-the-herb England. I do not admire the harshness of some of the adjectives I have heard lustily, self-confident young Canadians use. Four hundred years ago when the fields of England were, in regard to their exhaustion by farming about where the fields of Manitoba now are, the yield of wheat, as far as records show, was about 20 bushels to the acre. After two hundred years, some records show that it had gone down, some say, to 8 or 10 bushels to the acre. During the last fifty years, it has been from 20 bushels to 40 bushels to the acre, after more than four hundred years of cropping.

What brought about the change? Chiefly rotation of crops—putting the right crop in the right place in the rotation, putting a nitrogen-gathering crop like clover or beans in between the grain crops. Side by side on the same farm for thirty-two years in succession, the systematic rotation of crops gives 114 per cent larger yield of wheat than the non-rotation, that is, the successive cropping by cereals.

ROTATION OF CROPS

I shall attend you a moment with a few of the salient points of the information collected. First, we enquired whether the farmer followed any system of rotation in his crops. Most things hang together. There is a hang-together-ness in this world that it takes a fellow a while to lie in as a working scheme of life; and when he comes to believe in the hang-together-ness, he gets a new vision, a new principle, a guide for his behavior and he realizes that he is one of the lot. No, it is not the other fellows as well as himself. He cannot help it that he is part of them; and their uplift will uplift him and their downgoing will pull him down.

If there is a systematic rotation of crops, if the crop that now is, prepares the soil for the crop that is to be, then you have continuously improving conditions and continuously improving crops; but if the crop that now is, does not prepare the soil for the crop that is to be, then you get gradual degradation and poverty.

No doubt the same principle applies to the rotation of civilizations, and social conditions and opportunities. The generation of to-day must provide cleaner fields with fewer weeds, less disease and more fertility? On the whole, we are on the upgrade, but we may slip back. That is why I connect the rotation of crops with the hang-together-ness of things on the farm. A good system of rotation provides for the spreading of the labor of the farmer over most of the year. The other system means a rush of work and very long hours for two months in spring and two in harvest, and little satisfying occupation during the other parts of the year. I have never known a healthy man who, under sixty, could hold for half the year and escape devil. I do not mean the devil hereafter, but the devil here and now. A man has to be at something, something with a definite purpose that calls out his powers, or he will not be happy. Where there is a practicable system of farming does not provide satisfying, profit-leaving work during the winter, let us have what the Swiss have, what the Swedes and Norwegians have: the home industries—not for profit, but for the salvation of the boys and young men and the satisfaction of the women. Labour, intelligent skilful labour, labour with good will is the means of grace, whereby the race will be always rising, rising, rising.

Then the systematic rotation of crops cleans the land, gives a variety of products, increases the yields per acre and gives the farmer a life and clean. That is the acme of all that on the land and in life, fertility and beauty. This is the general conclusion of the whole matter.

Let me mention a few of the facts in between the ends of that general conclusion. I shall take first the provinces east of the Great Lakes, where a systematic rotation of crops is practicable under the common climate, labour and market. In Nova Scotia, only 8 per cent of the farmers followed any systematic rotation of crops; in Prince Edward Island, 4 per cent, on a small part of the farm; in New Brunswick, 13 per cent; in Quebec, only 4 per cent, and in Ontario, 53 per cent. Does that not tell a tale worthy of study?

The Farmer Pays the Taxes

You have been to the circus, and have seen the strong man hold up a half dozen acrobats on his shoulders. It is a true picture of the farmer as a taxpayer. At any rate that is the conclusion of the International conference on State and Local Taxation. They submit the farm property is generally overvalued as compared with property in cities and villages.

Sheep are assessed "very much above the average . . . or 60-75 per cent of the true value." Thus the farmer gets it full both on his land and his personal property. No other industry or occupation receives so complete an entry or so high a percentage of assessment on tax rolls. The merchant and the manufacturer have been alert and united to obtain exemptions, whereas the farmer has done scarcely anything else than grumble.—Calgary Standard.

Labor Day and the Stampede

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT'S VISIT

Next week will be somewhat of a holiday period for the dwellers in the cities and towns of Southern Alberta, there being various reasons for this. Monday, for instance, is Labor Day, for the celebration will be held in Calgary, and an average attendance of some 100,000 people is expected. On Thursday the Duke of Connaught, Governor General of Canada, will arrive in Calgary. He will pay a visit to the Stampede, and on Saturday he will leave for the big show of the Southern Alberta Land Co.

On their return to Glenora his highness will be entertained to a banquet by the citizens and the directorate of the Southern Alberta Land Co. The Duke of Connaught's visit to Strathmore, where he will visit the CPE Demonstration Farm, will probably be on September 6, according to information given by the Demonstration Farm. The hour, however, has not yet been announced, and the details of the visit have not been given out.

Mrs. Stangier is at present in town looking after her farm northeast of town. Mrs. Stangier used to be a frequent visitor here, but for the last twelve months she has been south of the line.

Visitors at the Maple Leaf this week included: R. T. McMullen, Philadelphia, Pa.; A. T. Brown, I. P. Switzer, and L. T. Brown, Denver, Colorado; Wm. H. Fleming, H. H. Sargent, A. Ashbrook, Pittsburgh; H. B. Caldwell, La Porte, Ind.; G. F. Nutt, Fortland, Oregon.

Strathmore School opens on Tuesday. September 15, at 9 a.m. All pupils are requested to register on the opening day.

FAST ROLLER SKATING

An Average of Over 11 Miles an Hour For a Day and a Night

This is Haoul Le Mat, world's champion high jumper on ice skates who broke the world's record by skating 228 miles in 24 hours and 26 seconds. The best previous record was held by



RAOUL LE MAT
Joe H. Hamilton, of Wichita, Kan., who skated 167 miles in 24 hours. The Le Mat finished well within his limit as against the skaters, which was made immediately after the long race.

TWO-WHEELED IDEA
A Novel Motor-Cycle With Some New Features

Some folks believe that land locomotion will ultimately get down to two wheels. They point to the bicycle as the prototype of the land—wheel as a two-wheeled vehicle held up right at slow speeds by a 270-watt motor. With pride in the fact that no two-wheeled vehicle was ever known completely overtaken.



Whether they are right or not, the fact remains that the motor cycle is rapidly developing into something resembling Hervey's latest, an "un-derpowered motor-cycle" which is really

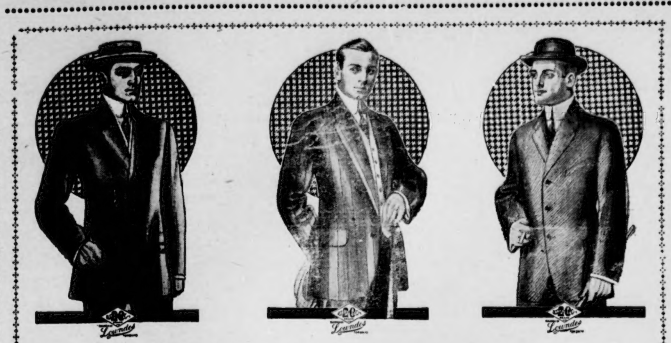
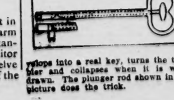
A WOMAN INVENTOR
She Has Built a Machine to Travel the Land, the Sea and the Air

Miss Anna O. Hagstedt, of New York, a woman in the new Women's Club, has patented a combination automobile-aeroplane in which the machine can be converted into the form of a ship.



MISS ANNA O. HAGSTEDT
popular machine of the future, as it is being built for use on land and sea and in the air. There are two motors, one forward and one aft, the latter being a supplementary for emergency use. Miss Hagstedt is a native of Stockholm, and her auto aeroplane is the result of a life-long ambition to fly.

A FOR THE SKELETON KEY
Here is the key that puts the skeleton key out of business. It goes into a little round hole, then de-



THREE DISTINCT TYPES AND MODELS IN THE 20TH CENTURY BRAND LINE FOR FALL

The wide-shouldered, athletic type, the narrow-shouldered natural type, and the conservative, regular type. No matter what your taste is, you can satisfy it with your choice of the types and styles shown in this famous line of clothes. Each model exhibits unusual good taste and smartness without sacrificing the dignity that distinguishes all good garments. Intelligent supervision and skilful tailoring produce results that will compel your appreciation. Before you buy your Fall suit or overcoat be sure to see these models. We will leave the rest to your own good judgment. Fall samples just arrived. Now is the time to select your fall suit, Handsome Style Book showing 20 New Suits and 20 New Overcoat Models free on request.

A FULL RANGE OF SHOES IN FALL STYLES JUST IN

A FULL RANGE OF EVERYTHING IN MEN'S WEAR ALWAYS IN STOCK

THOS. E. WRIGHT
MEN'S OUTFITTER
ALL KINDS OF CLEANING, PRESSING AND ALTERATIONS, ETC.

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Has only been running two months under the present management, but the business we are doing is proof positive that we are carrying what the public want

Our Prices are Right and so are our Goods

New Lines Arriving Daily
All kinds of Fruit for Preserving

A Cash business at cash prices. Highest value given in trade for Farm Produce

Special values A new stock of Boots and Shoes now arrived

ARE YOU GETTING FULL VALUE FOR YOUR MONEY?

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My prices on **BARB AND WOVEN WIRE** are the lowest, quality considered

I have the most complete stock of **OILS AND GREASES**—Coal Oil, Gas Cylinder, Automobile, Fine Machine, Steam Cylinder, Light Machine, Heavy Castor Machine, Separator, Lined and Sewing Machine Oils.

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PAINTS AND VARNISHES, the best the world can make.

TIN, GRANITE AND COPPER WARE And don't forget that **WALL PAPER**. Why, my customers say they never bought wall paper so cheap, and the quality cannot be beat.

Give me a call before you buy.

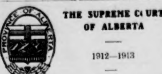
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Go with the bunch to Mac's place for a first class haircut and shave.
The best in the town. Try us

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THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA

1912-1913

Sittings of the Supreme Court of Alberta on date and for the trial of cases civil and criminal, and for the hearing of motions and other civil business, will be held at the following times and places for 1912-13: From the date of the opening of a Court or sitting, a holiday, such Court or sitting, shall commence on the day following such holiday.

Sittings of the Supreme Court on Monday, Edmonton, Third Tuesday in September and March.
Calgary, First Tuesday in December and June.

For trial of Civil Non-jury Causes: Edmonton and Calgary, First Tuesday each in October, November, January, February, March, April, May, and Third Tuesday in June.

For trial of Civil and Criminal Jury Causes: Edmonton and Calgary, Third Tuesday in October, February, and May.

For trial of all Criminal Causes: Wetaskiwin, Second Tuesday in October and March; Medicine Hat, Second Tuesday in October and February.

Medicine Hat, Second Tuesday in November and Third Tuesday in April.

Macled, Second Tuesday in October, February and May.

Lethbridge, Fifth Tuesday in October and Fourth Tuesday in April.

For trial of all Civil Causes: Wetaskiwin, First Tuesday in November and Fifth Tuesday in April.

For trial of Civil and Criminal Jury Causes: Edmonton and Calgary, Third Tuesday in October and Second Tuesday in April.

Macled, Second Tuesday in November and Third Tuesday in April.

Lethbridge, Third Tuesday in November and Second Tuesday in April.

May
At Edmonton, Alberta, this Ninth day of July, 1912.

J. H. ALBERTY,
Deputy Attorney General

Strathmore Railway Time Table

Taking effect from June 3, 1912

TRAIN No. 61—MOORE JAW LOCAL
Going West, dep. 2:30

TRAIN No. 62—MERIDIAN HAY LOCAL
Going West, dep. 10:30

TRAIN No. 3—VANOVER EXPRESS
Going West, dep. 10:30

TRAIN No. 4—TORONTO EXPRESS
Going East, dep. 10:30

TRAIN No. 56—MERIDIAN HAY LOCAL
Going East, arr. 10:30, leave 10:35

TRAIN No. 62—MOORE JAW LOCAL
Going East, dep. 10:30

N.B.—These figures are inserted for the convenience of the public, and are as far as possible correct, but the Standard cannot be held liable for any inaccuracies which may occur in same.

THE CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

STRATHMORE.

Services morning and evening alternately in Church on 2nd Street.

Sunday School meets every Sunday at 10 a.m. Supp., 1:30 p.m.

Choir Practice Wednesday evening, 7:30 p.m.

ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS

CHURCH OF ENGLAND OF EPISCOPAL

FIRST ST., STRATHMORE.

Services every Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m., and Celebration of Holy Communion on second Sunday in the month at 11 a.m.

Sept. 1. Calmhill, 11 a.m.
Harwood, 3 p.m.

Sept. 8. Nightingale 3 p.m.
REV. J. G. HATHWAY.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

STRATHMORE DISTRICT.

HENCKHOFF, EVERY MONTH

Mass at Strathmore, first and third Sundays, at 10:30; second and fourth Sundays, at 8:00.

At the Dutch Colony, first and third Sunday, at 8:30; second Sunday, at 10:30.

FATHER LAAT, O.S.B.

METHODIST CHURCH

STRATHMORE.

Sunday, Sept. 1st, 11 a.m., New-
stead to the Kingdom. 12 noon Sun-
day school, 7:30 p.m. Vigil Helpline.

Brother.
Orange Valley, 7 p.m. Sunday School

—Supt. Rev. McElhoes. 3 p.m.,
preaching service.

Nightingale, 2 p.m., Union Sunday
School, 3 p.m., preaching service.

Booth's Sabbath-school, 2 p.m., Union
Sunday School.

REV. I. E. MATTHEWS, Pastor.

SKANDINAVIAN LUTHERAN

Scandinavian Lutheran in the Angli-
can Church on Sunday, Sept. 8th at 2
o'clock p.m.

All who are interested will please
note that the time for the services has
been changed from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs.
Jack Jones on Thursday, Sept. 12, at
2 o'clock p.m.

ART VALEN, Pastor.

MUST KEEP OUR RAW MATERIAL

Pulpwood Exports are Instance of Enormous Loss That Has Accrued to Canadian Industry

The Department of the Interior, Ottawa, has issued a report on "Pulpwood" as follows:

"If the pulpwood exported in 1911 had been reduced to pulp in Canada, it would have supplied mills of the average size of those in Canada. Thus one hundred and twenty million tons of fifty-four would have been supplied in Canada, employing Canadian labor and advancing Canadian industry. The provincial laws affecting the export of pulpwood with the exporting provinces have changed considerably in 1911. In 1909, pulpwood from private lands in Ontario and from all lands in Quebec and New Brunswick could be shipped to ports outside of Canada. In that year, however, the province of Quebec imposed restrictive regulations which came into force on the 1st of September, 1910, prohibiting the export of unsawed pulpwood from Crown lands within the province; and in 1911 New Brunswick passed legislation to the same effect, coming into force on the first day of October of that year, too late to affect the 1911 export trade.

Legislation Needed

"The effect of the Quebec legislation is noticeable this year. The export of raw pulpwood from Quebec was decreased by 162,864 cords, or 11.3 per cent. Its domestic consumption increased by 47,471 cords, or nearly 14 per cent. and three new mills were started in addition to the existing ones. The pulpwood from the other provinces taken together, the export of raw pulpwood increased by 47,681 cords, or 28 per cent.; the domestic consumption was increased by 86,180 cords, or 10.5 per cent.; and one mill was reported. It is evident that this legislation is already having the desired effect in stimulating the growth of the industry. It is evident that this legislation is already having the desired effect in stimulating the growth of the industry. It is evident that this legislation is already having the desired effect in stimulating the growth of the industry.

"All the provinces are fully alive to the importance of increasing the export of this valuable raw material. So far as it is in their power, they have taken steps to prevent it from being carried off to build up the industries of other countries, yet more than half the pulpwood cut in Canada is still carried over the border to supply the pulp mills of the United States. Nearly all of this wood is cut from privately owned land, over which the provincial laws are jurisdiction. Only the federal authority, by the imposition of a prohibitive export tax, could stop exportation.

Loss to Canada

It is interesting to note to what extent provincial industry would have been increased if the pulpwood exported to the United States had been converted into wood pulp on Canadian soil. The 60,132 cords exported from Quebec would have supplied material for a pulp mill of the capacity of the average size operating in Quebec. In Ontario, six mills of the average size could have been kept running with the pulp logs exported from that province. The 122,638 cords shipped from the ports of New Brunswick would have supplied ten mills of the average size. If the high production of 1909 be taken as the normal capacity of the mills of the province, more than twice the number of mills operating in the province might have been kept in operation. It might have been seen that if Canadians had been far seeing enough to manufacture their own raw products.

THE MILL INDUSTRY

J. W. Doherty, of Manitoba Agricultural College refers to the dairy branch of farm work as a manufacturing industry, denoting the full financial returns were to be obtained from it the work must be done on business principles. Good cows must be first obtained, for a poor dairy cow was an unprofitable investment. A good dairy cow would yield about 4,000 pounds of milk in a year, after testing the yield of over 225 herds throughout Manitoba. However, Prof. Mitchell declared that the average was only 2,500 lbs. It was much more profitable to have only 6 cows to keep and care for than 12 poor cows, and a good cow would yield as much as 12 poor ones.

Accidental Death

At the Hackney Corners Court, Justice Gifford informed a doctor, who was called in to examine the body of a man who had been killed by a horse, that the man was a well known local resident.

Wife's Their Jaws

Fifty New York schoolchildren are, says the "Express," to have their jaws widened to improve their mental development. The doctor who recommends the treatment estimates that a small jaw is a great mental handicap.

The Life of Luxury

Picture taken in a book, says the "Express," that if a picture hangs in a room, it is a sign that the room is a well kept one.

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Nightingale Potatoes Are Selling Well

FARMERS' MOVEMENT PROVING A SUCCESS

The Calgary "Albertan" has been giving considerable prominence to the movement inaugurated by Mr. K. W. Pamment on behalf of the farmers in the Nightingale ready-made farm colony and others, to break down the alleged combine among the wholesalers in Calgary, which discriminated largely against the Alberta grown potatoes. The movement up to the present has been very successful, according to Mr. Pamment, and he has already sold several cords of potatoes direct to the consumer in the Calgary Municipal Market. Mr. Pamment says he has had requests from farmers all over the province wanting to join the movement, and it is planned to form a permanent organization. Mr. Pamment, the central figure in the campaign, is well-known around Strathmore and district. He came here with the first ready-made farmers to settle in Alberta, in the spring of 1910, and took up an eighty-acre farm. He has been one of the best settlers among the ready-made, and recently took up another block of 120 acres of land.

Mr. Pamment in the course of an interview on Tuesday evening said:

"The main fact and the important one I want to impress on every farmer who wants to join the movement is, first, that all the potatoes that the permanent success of the movement depends absolutely on keeping the books up to date, and at a high standard. This is just where the chief difficulty in forming the selling organization lies. If the farmers will recognize this to start with, one of the difficulties will be done away with.

PERFECT INSPECTION NECESSARY

"I mean that each will have to have a perfect system of inspection at every point from which potatoes and other products, such as eggs and garden products, are shipped. Hundreds of organizations have successfully got around the problem of handling the goods so as to distribute profits equitably and fairly, but this has failed have done so because of neglect to keep their products up to the first standard. I am getting to be convinced that various inspection and labelling systems, and every farmer that comes in must do so with the understanding that he is prepared to uphold a rigid system of inspection regardless of whether it hits him or the other fellow.

"Incidentally, I might say that I have had practically no trouble so far as regards the quality of the Alberta potatoes for the simple reason that there is nothing to it. The potatoes that we are sending out from the Nightingale district can't be beaten anywhere.

DEALERS MAKE STRANGE EXCUSE

"The dealers who have been hit by our plan are now making the excuse that the soil conditions around Nightingale are such that better potatoes can be grown there than in any other parts of Alberta. I don't believe that started from that second. The farmers in our district are expert potato growers and have given the subject close attention, but the same success can be attained in other sections of the province, and I have no doubt it has been attained. The fact is that Alberta potatoes have simply been driven out of the local markets by misrepresentation in order to get the best of the Alberta farmers.

"It would do the heart of any loyal son of Alberta good to go down into our district and see the immense change that has resulted since we put this plan into operation. Some of our farmers have been struggling on for years unable to make ends meet, and this is the first time that they have been able to sell their potatoes and get a fair price for them. As a result they are simply working their heads off, and every farmer in the district has money and a smile a yard wide."

Police Court

At a police court held on Monday morning, and presided over by Justice Lambert, L. A. Bell was fined \$5 and costs, on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. Kelly was fined \$3 and costs for a similar offence. Fines were paid in both cases.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NOTES WEST LAND REGULATIONS

It is known that the sole head of a family, or a woman of legal age, is entitled to a quarter section of land in the Dominion land in Canada, Strathmore, Alberta. The applicant must reside in Canada at the time of application, and must be a Canadian citizen. Entry by person who is not a Canadian citizen, or who is not a resident in Canada, is prohibited. Regulations in further matters, such as, together, together or otherwise, are as follows: